

do.; for Eastern do.; *do.*, for good sound ship-
ping do.; *W.*, for sound and Western yellow; *W.*, for

Small pure white Shetlands, thus ready with a moderate degree of determination, Canadian and State.

Port, excited, nose held bridle, and prime dull and decidedly lower; sales males \$17.10 for new males; \$17.75 for old males; \$18.00 for young males; \$20.00 for old for new prime; and \$12.50 for old prime.

Beef quiet and steady; sales \$15.00 for old for new country prime; \$16.00 for country prime; \$16.00 for the repeated same; \$11.00 for old for extra new. Prime nose beef \$10.00 for country prime; \$10.00 for quiet and unchanged; sales \$12.00 for good Western, to arrive, at the same.

Cattle more active, and steady for shoulders and heavy for latest sales; sales \$15.00 for shoulders; \$16.00 for hams; \$5.00 for very choice, short time, hams; \$10.00 for extra; \$10.00 for firm, and medium moderate; sales \$10.00 at \$11.00.

Butter selling at 10c for Ohio, and 10c for State. Cheese steady at 10c for inferior to prime. Coffee quiet, but firm, for your best at 10c.

(By Telegraph.)
New York Cattle Market.
 NEW YORK, May 23.—Beefers firm at last week's full prices; receipts, 4,700. Sheep advanced slightly, with good demand. The prices for Swine are slightly advanced; quotations, 22½c.

(By Telegraph.)
Baltimore Market.
 BALTIMORE, May 23.—Flour dull: Howard-street \$2 50. Wheat improved: White #1 50¢; red #1 25¢; 32. Corn dull and declined 10¢; white 60-70¢; yellow 60¢. Provisions steady. Whisky quiet.

RIVER NEWS.

The Ohio opposite this port continues on its downward course, having declined during the twenty-four hours ending last night about fifteen inches, leaving a channel depth of about nine feet between here and Louisville. The river is falling all the way from Pittsburg to the mouth, and will soon be very low unless we are favored, as we probably soon shall be, with copious rains.

The weather remains very warm and sultry, with alternate bright and cloudy skies and an atmospheric condition of rain. As we write, there are symptoms in the heavens of rain before sunrise, though these symptoms are not reliable, and that damage has been done all along the River by Mon-

Business on the landing is still dull. Yesterday freighters were again light; the boats at the wharf being compelled to remain nearly a week to obtain cargoes.

The packets are doing a poor business, but the other steamers find little to occupy them just at present. The number of boats in port is more than twice sufficient for the offerings of freight. Rates were as follows:

Pittsburg—Cotton, 60c.; Molasses, 60c.; Whisky, 40c.; Flour, 35c.; Pork and Lard, 25c.; Pound Freight 12 1/2c. per 100 lbs.

St. Louis—Whisky, 40 or 41c.; Clover seed, 60c.;

Alc. 60c; Flour, 40c; Pound Freights, 3000 lbs. per 100.
Al. Louis—Heavy Pound Freights, 25c. per 100
lb.; Whisky and Oil, 60c. per barrel; Stoves, 25c.;
Alc. 60c. per barrel.
Keosauqua—Whisky and Oil, 50c. per barrel.
Cairo—Whisky and Oil, 50c. per barrel; Pound
Freights, 25c. per 100 pounds.
New Orleans—Whisky and Oil, 90c.; Flour, 50c.; Po-
tatoes and Apples, 50c.; Pork, 75c.; Bacon in Hams,
25c.; and other Pound Freights, 3000 lbs. per 100 lb.
Keg Lard, 15c.; Horses \$10 per head. Machinery 50
@75c.

The Paris correspondent of the New York Times says:

One of the French theaters has just brought out, with a great flourish of trumpets, a five-act drama founded on the American War of Independence, called *The Phantom Horse*. In this piece we necessarily see a Washington and a Lafayette, but particularly a Lafayette. The piece in fact reminds one of that famous

picture in the palace of Versailles, which represents the battle of Yorktown, and which places the French General, Rochambeau, in the foreground giving the order of battle, while Washington stands meekly behind, like an aid-de-camp. In *The Phantom Horse* Lafayette says and does everything, and it is the French who whip the English, not Washington and his colonists. But more wonderful still, Lafayette, or rather the American Revolution, is carried to the future

this, our century, that the brave young French General is permitted to make allusions to Magenta and Solferino! In a grand scene—that in which Lafayette appears before the splendid court of Louis XVI, at Versailles, in 1779, to plead the cause of the American colonists—the author of the play has put in the mouth of the young General a speech of the purest Buncombe type—a bombastic tirade which ends by throwing the audience

into a laugh—and yet those were serious times and serious subjects. *The Phantom Horse*—the horse is almost a phantom in the piece, he appears so rarely—is got up in the most magnificent style; new music, new decorations and costumes, and a really fine ballet. M. Maurice Coste, the gentleman who does *all the Napoleons* at this theater, and is rather too small for the *First Consul*, undertakes in *The Phantom Horse* the role of the gigantic

COQUETRY AND FLIRTATION.—Coquetry and flirtation are as different as diamonds and paste. "Coquetry (says like Marryat) is a marvelous good judge of the matter; it is natural and becoming to a woman, while flirtation is false and deceitful, and never came of a true heart." The distinction is worth making.

It is founded in a positive difference; Coquetry is but a piquant form of maiden modesty. It is sly, bashful and cautious; hinting a love which it is not bold enough to avow; and teasing a lover whom it dare not carest. But flirtation is a delusion and a fraud from beginning to end. It is born of vanity, nursed by pride, and usually dies of mortification. It is a game in which both players cheat, and both invariably lose. Of

course, it is not worth a candle. Worst of all, like "the illicit love," to which it often leads,

"It hardens all within, and petrifies the feeling." Therefore, leave flirting to people already *biase* with their own vices; and keep your heart open for the true love that shall yet be its welcome guest.

AUCTION SALES

AUCTION SALE BY C. J. W. SMITH.—Positive sale of a Large Lot on the corner of Eighth and Accommodation-streets.—Will be sold at public auction on **MONDAY MORNING, May 15,** at 1 o'clock, on the premises, that large valuable Lot on the corner of Eighth and Accommodation-streets, being 118 feet front on Eighth-street and 125 feet front on Accommodation-street, being a triangular lot, and suitable for draymen, hackman or for a row of houses, and will be positively sold to the highest bidder. Title perfect.

AUCTION SALE—BY JACOB GRAFF & CO.
Sales-rooms No. 15 East Fourth-street—Hereby
give notice that I will offer at public sale, this morn-
ing, May 24, at 9 o'clock, at the ware-rooms of the
late S. J. John, Nos. 22 and 24 East Fourth-street,
the entire stock of Furniture, to close the business.
It comprises a general assortment of Parlor and

Dealers and those who wish to furnish houses should give this sale attention.

Terms of Sale—\$200 and under, cash; from \$200 to \$400, sixty days; from \$400 to \$600, ninety days; \$600 and over, four months' credit, approved security.

Sale without reserve, to close business.

E. COX, Auctioneer.
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AUCTION SALE—BY COOPER & STOKES.—Admiral Sale of Sixteen China Lota on Dudley and Freeman-streets.—ON FRIDAY AFTERNOON, 11 O'CLOCK, THE FOLLOWING CHINA LOTAS, TO-WIT:—

One Lot on Freeman-street, adjoining the above,
west side of Freeman-street, adjoining Liberty
and Poplar, 28 feet front by 306 deep, in an alley,
more or less.

One Lot on Freeman-street, adjoining the above,
30 feet front by 30 deep to an alley.

One Lot on Freeman-street, adjoining the above,
30 feet front by 30 deep, more or less.

One Lot on Freeman-street, adjoining the above,
30 feet front, more or less, by 15 deep, more or less.
See Description.

COOPER & JONES, Auctioneers.

AUCTION SALE. BY JACOB GRAY & CO.,
Fifty lots in the Buena-Vista Addition in the
City of Newport, Ky.—Will sell on Public Auction,
on FRIDAY, A. FEBRUARY 20TH, at 10 o'clock, on the
premises, Fifty Lots on Ann, Cabot, Columbia,
Putnam and Orchard-streets, in the Buena-Vista
Addition to the city of Newport.
Terms of Sale—One-half cash, balance in one and
two years, with six per cent. interest.
C. J. W. SMITH, Auctioneer,
No. 2941 Vine-street.
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two years, with six per cent. interest, secured by mortgage on the premises. Title indisputable, and sale positive. JACOB GRAFF, Auctioneer.
May 29 No. 18 East Fourth-street.